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EVENT and COMMENT:

Marion seems to have given birth to a crop of thieves, and Wytheville has one or two which keep pegging away at a certain old store house.

The People notices the incentive Shoe Factory at Snowville, capital in be \$10.000. Christainsburg takes the large tannery for it.

the 24th ult acquitted of the charge of wilful neglect of official duty. Harry Genet, one of Tweeds' ring made his escape from the custody of the Sheriff, and is doubtless in Cana-

the day before Christmas. They have made terms with their heaviest depositors and are now able to pay the small ones. The firm expresses confidence in

ed that the Virginius had no right to Spain is absolved from the obligation to calute it, and has demanded the return of the vessel. This is refused, and the matter must go through our numicalty court.

Minister Sickles has resigned, and the President has appointed Col. Cushing to succeed him at the Court of tions between the two governments, Mr. Fish ignored Sickles, and treated A first rate man for a fourth rate po- friends asked him to sign a petition

the location of the New Insane Assylum in that City. Will Suilivan Countine for anything." When Presiry allow this bit of public patronage to

Knoxville is taking steps to secure

The President has signed the bill r lieving Messrs, Bocock, Harvie, and Danl. Trigg of their disabilities.

Knexville desperadces, was on the 23th ult., tracked through the snow by torchlight and captured, near the N. C. line, south of Sweetwater.

THE ASHANTEE WAR.

Warlike people on the West Coast shore, exactly opposite Cannes .-of Africa. More accurately speak- The State prison is the only builing they are North of the gold ding on it, the remainder of its surcoast. The population of the count face being covered with orange spirit of benevolence, and more wise y Shem and brothers four. Thus there my is about three millions and the trees and myrtles. There the natural wealth of the country is grand did soldier may walk and very great. Gold dust and Ivory wender at a wicked world, till are the leading articles of trade. - French impulse or the hand of God be demonstrated that their superiority account might be transmitted. Slavery and Polygamy are lead- shall release him from his island Christianity, but a direct cons quence ing features, many of the prison. nobles owning as many as 1.000 King of Dahomey as an ally, our tent man Chief Justice, is'nt worth English consins have a rough job before them. The King of Dahomey as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the ancient monarchies of Asia and perhaps as many centuries in advance of the a mey has a standing regular army of Some unregenerate mortal stole vance of our time. The dim and formation in the ful investigation in this day of abund5.000 Amazons, who are said to the oly Christmas Turkey the Edand are guarded by Eunochs,- less, notwithstanding. Some idea of the civilization of the Kingdom may be learned from the fact that the six gates of the capital are mounted with human skulls.

lenwaters to become a candidate for Congress is one of the most re markable features of the age. His Mr. Venerable has exhibited a friends think he cannot long resist marked degree of vivacity and a good prol fic principles, and t e visdom he this unprecedented popular demand show of the focal point in his writing. and that he must shortly yield and allow himself to be litterally dragged from his comfortable position on the bench. Heretofore men methodists cover the tace of the and we congratulate those people on softening of the usages of war; and like it. wal first district, and they will go the prospect of one.





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GONE DOWN.

We feel thankful that the Virginius has gone to the bottom of the Atlantic. Few subjects bored the Virginian some years ago, we movements for a joint stock Boot and so long and so well as that particular vessel. As a national sensa- INDDEX-Archate.
Yes, but we had to return it to the man hint and is endeavoring to get up a tion she has not paid, and as a news item she has been profitable paid for .- LYNCHBURG VIRGINIAN Ex-Mayor Hall of New York was on to none save the Western Union Telegraph company. She was returned in bad order by the Spaniards, got to leaking on the way to Republicans White New York and when off Wilminglantic dry and went down in eight Republicans, white Fisk & Hatch resumed business on ton she undertook to suck the Atfathoms. May she never rise again the bonds of the Ches. peake & Ohio and we wish to God she had the cuban officials inside of her. If Attorney Gen. Williams has decid- Sickles, now in partial disgrace fly to the U.S. Flag and consequently could be providentially disposed of we would consent to drop the Spanish subject for a while.

"Very well, Monsieur Poucet; Lave me shot, and as soon as pos-Spain. In the recent delicate negotia- sible," were the words of Marshall Bazaine when the sentence of death directly with the Spanish Minister of was read to him. When his altion, and a fourth rate man for a first for mercy he declined saying "I do not wish to be judged more by men my conscience does not reproach dent McMahon had commuted his sentence he responded:

"You have remembered the days in which we served our country to-Clint Loudermilk, the last of the gether, and I fear that the impulse of your heart overmastered State considerations."

The island of St. Marguerite, to which he has been sent to spend "twenty years of detention" is three England has on her hands a war miles long and less than a mile with the Ashantees, a bold and wide and lies one mile from the

player and a man's wealth is meas. The Knonville Chronicle thinks which established a standard of life ham and Isaac lived with those, who, need largely by the number of his the Senate will make Williams towards which all succeeding centuries for 100 years of their early life witwives, the King being allowed Chief Justice just to vindicate him 2.323. These wives are laborers from certain lies which that jour- which has never been improved, is perishing world! Yet such was the and those of the King are not to pal says have been tramped up by the most wonderful ptenomenon that fact. Shemwas contemporary with production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the newest inventions in the production in literature, and of the new literature in the new literatu be looked upon by any one under pain of death. In 1824 these same people defeated the English forces, people defeated the English forces, and as they have now seemed the such a reason as that, an incompe-

tight like devils and they have itor of the Marion Heraln possesbeen sent to the seat of wat. Du- sed. Yet that editor has the ring peace they are kept in bar- check to say that he is not Turkey, spiritual wisdom nineteen centeries Detreuctive Fire at Callahan's. tacks inside the palace inclosure less. Very apt, but he is a Turkey of progress have not yet outstripped,

THE I. and A.

Mr. A. B. Venerable has sold his in-Appeal and has retired from journalism. Messrs Gregory and Patteson will continue the paper. Mr. E S. Gregory the new Editor is a spright-The pressure upon Judge Gil- ly journalist, a good writer and an excellent compiler of news. We wish the paper all the increased good which the retiring editor predicts of it.

A PAPER IN RUSSELL. The Grayson Ensign has been dis have sought a scat in Congress February, he will issue the first nums ophers of all succeeding times have rom the first Tennessee Dist. Now ber of the Russell Progress, at Leban found no occasion to revise the moral said the deacon. the office seeks the man and these on Va. Mr. Jones does not attempt to judgments of that poor young man disguise the fact, that the Ensign, has brought up at humble, laberious occutaparalleled developements prove not been a financial success, and we pation in a rural Jewish village. In hat there is but one man within its think we find in his statement, that it a loose figurative way, we call HOMER in its whose moral and intellectual has been furnished to subscribers at and Shakespeare inspired; but how give nothin'." and or sements qualify him for this we have no idea that a country paper can be sustained at less than \$2. Those leading Gallean! The spirit is interwoven with the innewspaper men who assert that submost life of the most advanced in the mos journed Court to hear Billy Robrtson preach, all the rebels are have a very important lesson to learn, have a very important lesson to learn. If the people are not willing to pay \$2 to nothing toward support a local paper, it may have a very important lesson to learn, and colored their civilization. The influence of Christ is the most astonishing moral and psychological phenoming mations; it has moulded their institu-tions, reformed their usages, and colored their civilization. The in-fluence of Christ is the most astonish-ing moral and psychological phenoming moral phenoming moral and psychological phenoming moral phenoming moral phenomi columns of certain loyal journals be said they do not want it. We ad- enon in the history of the human race. proves that the republicans vise Mr. Jones to furnish the Poogress There is really nothing with which it at \$2, and no less, and we advise the can be compared. To all for him. And then the people of Russell to pay it and sustain From the infinite multiplicity of so "cobel traitor" Rev. Billy Robert- the paper. Mr. Jones will furnish wide a field we will select, as illustran is for him too, and this settles them a good paper, and they had bet- to s of the influence of Christianity, Numbers, I offer the following rule, matter for Southern "rebel" seil County has nevver had a paper, legath completed in our time, the like it

The Editor of two of our South-

the following fashion: THE REASON WHY,-The Lynch-burg Virginian says with truth that the reason why the INDEX APPEAL didn't hang up its stocking for Christmas, was because it had no stocking to

Ah! but if we had only been able to offect in time that sock which we lent would have been able to hang it up and all would have yet been well .-

you got it from because he said it wasn't

Organization of the Legislature. The Senate of Va. consists of 43 Conservatives

Do Colored -The House has 131 members viz;

Conservative majority on joint bal-Lient. Gov. Withers presides over the Senate. Hanger re-elected spea-Juo. F. Wall of Frederick is Sergt. at arms, having beaten Col. Critten-

THE YOUNG WIDOW

She is counding, sometimes witty, Free and easy, but not hold; Like an apple, ripe and mellew, Not too young, and not too old Half inviting, half repellant. Now advancing, and now shy; There is danger in her laughter, There is danger in her eye.

She has studied human nature: She has taken her Diploma, As mistress of the heart! She can tell the very moment When to sigh and when to smile;

but a widow all the while.

Are you sad? ob, then how serious Will her pretty face become! You a cangry, she is wretched, Saddened, friendiess, tearful, ddink Are you muriful? how her laughter, Silver-sounding, will ring wat! She can lure, and catch, and play you, As an angler does a trout,

Lt. "old feasits, "nearly fifty,
Who are pletting, deep and Wise;
Ye "Adonted" of twenty,
With the love-light in your
You may practice all the lessor. Tanglet by Cupid since the fail, at'l knew a little widow Who can wind and foo! you all!

Social Consequences of the Birth of Christ.

It is impossible to deny that Chris-

in the history of the human face, religion differ from all others by a igher standard of morals, greater progress in knowledge, a more active f those nations which have professed the Christian faith. And it can easily of it. Now a religion which, originating nearly two thousand years ago, in the soul of a Jewish peasant, and doubtful prophecies recorded in the sacred writings are as nothing in comparison with the clear prophetic soul of that wonderful Nazarene whose spiritual wisdom nineteen cent-ries of progress have not yet outstripped,

It is not by mere enunciation of moral principles that the religion of CHRIST has proved so fruitful. The terest in the Petersburg Index and greater part of his precepts may be found scattered here and there among the writings of heathen philosophers. Their merit, as they proceeded from his lips, consisted partly in their coherent assemblage, but principally in that rooted depth of conviction with which his whole soul was penetrated that he was teaching the saving truth to humanity, and the incessant emphasis he laid on a few evinced in singling them out as fundamental. These are the circum stances in which be differed from every other moral teacher and every other founder of a religion. And continued, and the Editor, Rev. J. B. the wonderful, the miraculous thing, Jones, announces, that about the 1st of is, that the most enlightened philos-

the abolition of slavery, now being at legath completed in our time, the softening of the usages of war; and the elevation of woman. We should not periods of units, thousands, mil-

each of these great ameliorations, neither of which is yet complete, is consequence of its principles. They for a dividend, are mere practical recognition of that common brotherheed of man taught by CHRIST and the sameness and longs to every human being. The

wing democracy of our modern politics, as well as the more humane features of our civilzation, are directly traceable to the movements which was begun in Judea in the time of have happened that a man of the plebian orign, humble outward appearance, and narrow advantages of Jesus inaugurated reforms to which the world has not yet grown up, and which the most advanced minds of our time seeks to continue and extend. but not to repudiate? This great over the face of history, ought to be miracles ever alleged to have been performed. It does not address itself to our senses, but to our highest faculties; and it must always seem m re and more extraordinary in pro portion as the progress or mankind ap poses. proaches, but never reaches, much less surpasses and renders obsolete. the teachings of him whose birth is to-day celebrated in all the churches. -New York World

Bible History. EDITORS CHRONICLE: To all lov-

ers of the Bible, "Dr. Kitto's

Illustrated History of the the Bible" is a "well-spring of delight, Many copies of it were sold in this community about a year since, and no family ought to be without one. It requires ing deeply interesting facts which may be gathered from its pages and chronological tables, viz: Monb might have received the account of creation through six equal channels with equal directness, thus: From Adam through Enos only, or from Cainan or Mahalaleel, or Jared or Methusela, or Lamech, his own father. Lamech was 55 years contemporary with Adam and 100 years with Shem: and Shem again was contemporary for several years with both Abrakath. from Adam to Auraham and Isaac is, tianity has been the most potent only thro' Lamech and Shert; All ocial force that has ever operated the generations from Adam to the flood, were eleven Uf all these. the peoples who have adopted this Adam was contemporray with nine, Methuselah eleven, Enos ten, Cainan ten, Malialaleel ten, Jared ten, Enoch nine, Lamech eleven, North eight, rganized institutions. The history were never less than nine generations f modern civil zation is the history from Adam to the flood, which would give, in any lineal descent, eighty-one different chanfiels through which the

Whoever imagined, without making the comparison, that Shem lived to brought leto poblic view a multitude of new mon witness all the glorious things trans-acted between God and Abraham!

Whose names are in every one's mouth, and of whose names are in every one's mouth, and of whose laters are in every one is curious to know the par-ticulars. Great battles have been fought and im-portant seiges maintained, of which the details are Who would have supposed that Abramave been approximating but have nessed and assisted in the building of otycl reached, and the ideal of the ark, and heard the cries of a seem poor and trivial by the side of the side of this great permanent theme of won. seems stereotyped on monuments decessor but with a far greater pecualary expen-

> COVINGTON, Va., Dec. 30.-A pecial messenger from Callahan's

Viscount Milton, late of England. He and several of his family returned from England last night. The high wind caused the destruction of the main building in a few minutes, consuming all its contents. The family all escaped except a servant, who is missing and suppose to be buurned.

Taking up Collection in Cali.

Those who go a round with the contribution box in Catifornia churches plead and argue the case as they go along. One of these gentlen en recently extended the box to a roughlooking, minner, who slowly shook his

'Can't do it deak," said Bill. "Why not? isn't the cause a good

"Well, but william, you oxe God a much larger debt than any one "Tnat's true, but He ain't a push.

To Extract the Cube Root of

in' me like the rest of my creditors."

Numbers. EDITOR SOUTHERN CULTIVATOR .-As many of your Readers may have occasion to extract the Cube Roots of

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The California Senators.

me, Gov. Booth, is a bachelor and ar independent anti-monopoly Republi-can. The other, Judge Hogan, is a Democrat. He was married last year to a lady beloifging to a prominent Catholic family of Missouri. The election to the United States Senate of two men of opposite politics by the same weakened, if not obliterated, by new ssues.-Richmond Whig.

General Fremont has cancer of the but little skill to deeply interest stomach, but has until lately kept the children in its perusal. But my aim matter a secret from family and now is to call attention to the follow- friends, His physician says that he can not live a year-

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